ieve and maintain their projected production schedule in respect of the much publicised fuel efficient two wheeler scooters 'XE-100' and have disproportionately increased the projected price of their scooters; and

(b) if so, what steps have been or are proposed to be taken by Government to ensure that those customers who got themselves registered for purchase of these scooters do not have to wait for longer years and suffer due to disproportionate price hike?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) The company has been able to maintain their annual production targets. The production during Jan-June' 86 was higher than the planned target.

(b) Does not arise.

100cc Scooters manufactured by Kinetic Honda

210. SHRIMATI RATAN KUMARI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the 100cc scooter proposed to be manufactured by Kinetic Honda at Peetampura in Madhya Pradesh is identical to the scooters being made by their collaborators in Japan;

(b) if so, what is the corrosponding model and the year of its introduction in Japan or in the world market; and

(c) whether it is a fact that Kinetic Honda propose to introduce 125 cc or 150 cc scooters and that these would also be belt-driven as the 100 cc of which they are to commence deliveries shortly?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No, sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) No such proposal has been received by the Government.

Production of scooters by M/s. Lohia Machine Ltd.

211. SHRIMATI RATAN KUMARI: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what has been the production of scooters by M/s. Lohia Machines Limited during the last six months;

(b) the reasons for Lohia Machine choosing to manufacture 150 cc engine scooters; and

(c) what are the numbers of 100cc and 150cc scooters produced by Lohia Machines in the period of the last six months?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM):

(a) Production of total of 42,082 number of scooters during January-June, 1986 has been reported by the company.

(b) This is in order to offer a better product mix to the customers.

(c) Production of a total of 41527 number of 150cc and 555 no. of 100cc scooters during Jan-June, 1986 has been reported by the company.

Lok Adalats

212. SHRI RAMSINGHBHAI PATALIYABHAI RATHVAKOLI: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to give legal status to Lok Adalats now functioning in many parts of the country;